

House Resolution 463

By: Representative Dukes of the 154<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending and congratulating Homer Hunter, Sr.; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Homer Hunter, Sr., was born on March 10, 1919, in Dougherty County,  
3 Georgia, and this year he enjoys the rare distinction of celebrating his 100th birthday; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the United  
5 States Army, valiantly and courageously protecting his fellow Americans through tours of  
6 duty in France, Germany, Italy, Algeria, and Morocco during World War II; and
- 7 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding he has demonstrated have provided  
8 the foundation of success from which his family members have developed and flourished for  
9 two generations as evidenced by his nine wonderful children and nine outstanding  
10 grandchildren; and
- 11 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentleman has given inspiration to many through his high  
12 ideals, morals, and deep concern for his fellow citizens; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Homer Hunter, Sr., possesses the vast wisdom which only comes through  
14 experience and the strength of character which is achieved through overcoming the many  
15 challenges of life; and
- 16 WHEREAS, he was united in love and marriage to his wife, Lucille, for 62 years until the  
17 time of her passing; and
- 18 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for  
19 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

20 WHEREAS, a kind and generous person, Homer Hunter, Sr., brings joy and happiness to his  
21 family and to the many friends and neighbors who have the great pleasure of knowing him;  
22 and

23 WHEREAS, he has witnessed a dramatic change in the world over the course of his lifetime  
24 and we salute his contribution to its progress through his tireless efforts on behalf of his  
25 community, state, and country; and

26 WHEREAS, by the example Homer Hunter, Sr., has made of his life, he makes this world  
27 a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that he be appropriately  
28 recognized during this very special and memorable time.

29 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
30 the members of this body commend Homer Hunter, Sr., for his unselfish, dedicated, and  
31 loving service to the members of his family and country; congratulate him on the remarkable  
32 occasion of his 100th birthday; and extend their most sincere best wishes for continued health  
33 and happiness.

34 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
35 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to  
36 Homer Hunter, Sr.